

DISASTERS HAPPEN:

Preparation & Response Training

April 19 & 20, 2012



There have been 14 Federally Declared Disasters in Iowa since the Flood of 2008 and countless small ones. Roofs leak, pipes burst, and sewers back up. Who Ya Gonna Call???

Attend to Meet Iowa Experts and Resource People

For archivists, administrators, city clerks, county recorders, conservators, curators, genealogists, librarians, museum employees, registrars, volunteers, and emergency responders of all types.

When: April 19 & 20, 2012

Where: African American Museum of Iowa,
55 12th Ave. SE, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Registration - \$30 each day or \$50 for both days (lunch included). Lunch cannot be guaranteed after April 10.

Registration deadline: April 10, 2012

DAY ONE – GETTING PREPARED

Thursday, April 19, 2012 ~ 9:00 – 3:00 p.m.
Amy Groskopf, Vicki Walch, Amy Meston

Prioritizing Records and Collections for Protection Strategies

Identify, Evaluate and Manage Risks Strategies for Preparedness

Luncheon Speaker: **Joan McCalmant**,
Linn Co. Recorder/Registrar Vital Records
"You want your vital record? I've cried a
river over these lost documents".

3:30-6 p.m. Progressive Reception

Details on following page

DAY TWO - RESPONDING

Friday, April 20, 2012 ~ 9:00 – 4:00 p.m.

9:00 a.m. Welcome by Tom Moore, Director
of the African American Museum of Iowa; &
Opening Remarks: Nancy Kraft & Jerome
Thompson

Panel: "Funding and Financial Aspects of
Disaster Recovery" - Dave Muhlena, Ben
Hoover, John Herbert, Melissa Kauffman

Panel: "First Responders" – Mike Goldberg,
EM, Linn County; Greg Smith, CR Fire
Dept; Steve O'Konek, CR Police Dept.

Exercise: Establishing Incident Command

For your convenience, blocks of rooms reserved:
AmericInn, Eastern Iowa Airport, 319-632-1800
(booked under Disaster and Emergency Prep. -
rooms held until March 18)

Best Western, Coopers Mill, 319-366-5323
(booked under Disaster Conference and held until
April 4). **You are responsible for your own
lodging arrangements and payment.** Shuttle
service will be available from both locations.

Make registration checks payable to:

Iowa Conservation & Preservation Consortium
100 Main Library, University of Iowa
Iowa City, Iowa 52242-1420
Ph 319-338-0514

On-line registration/questions:
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For more information:

www.iowamuseums.org "Disaster Resources"

DAY TWO CONTINUED

LUNCH

Speaker: Karen Pavelka

Conservator, University of Texas, Austin
"I've Seen Fire, I've Seen Rain.....But I Always
Thought That I'd See My Collections Again"

AFTERNOON TOPICS

dPlan lite – Lynn Koos

**Triage for Library, Archives
and Museum Collections**

Hilary Seo, Melissa Tedone, Pete Sixbey

Frozen Book Demonstration – Susan Hansen

Mock Disaster Drill – Nancy Kraft

WRAP-UP

Nancy Kraft, Jerome Thompson



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*Are your boots in
your trunk?*

*Got your
emergency plan
handy?*

*Where's your list
of first
responders?*

*Be prepared so
essential records
and collections
are not lost!*

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SOCIAL

Progressive Reception

Join us Thursday from 3:30-6 p.m. for a progressive reception at three locations: the African American Museum of Iowa, CSPS/Legion Arts, and the Czech Museum Temporary Location. Please take this opportunity to see these institutions in various stages of recovery, enjoy the exhibits and socialize with colleagues and friends.

African American Museum of Iowa, 55 12th Avenue, SE

CSPS/Legion Arts, 1103 3rd Street, SE

National Czech & Slovak Museum & Library, NCSML's Kosek Building, 87 16th Avenue, SW

All three locations are within walking distance, but shuttle service will be provided between 3:30 and 6:00 pm.

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